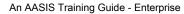


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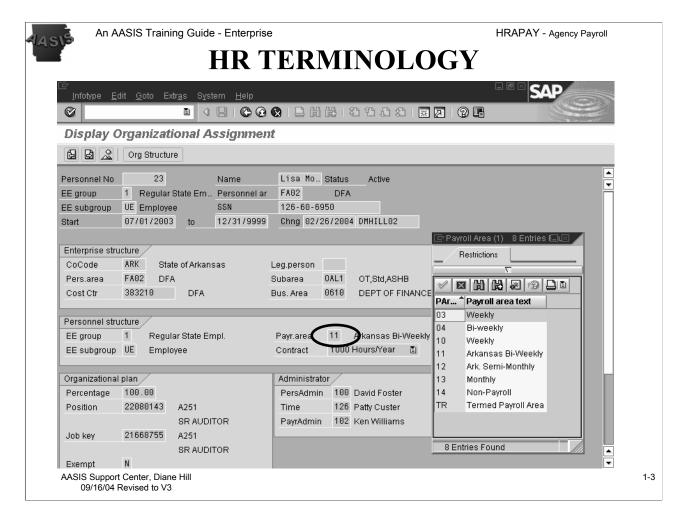
Payroll Deadline



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NOTE: The effective date of Master Data changes must not be earlier than the current payroll fiscal year begin date. NEVER MAKE ANY MASTER DATA CHANGES IN A FORMER FISCAL YEAR.

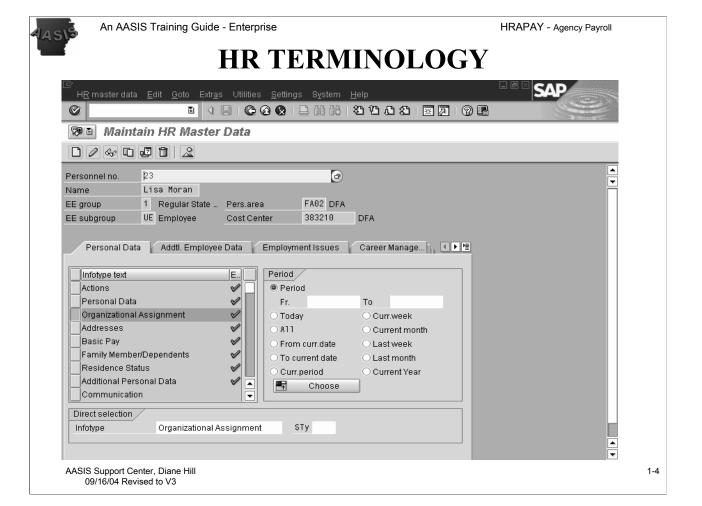
If it is necessary for the agency to have Master Data corrected beyond the current payroll fiscal year begin date, the Agency must send a request with justification to the Office of Personnel Management/State Payroll.



The **Payroll Area** groups employees according to how often and on what schedule they are paid, in other words the frequency.

- ➤ The payroll area provides the payroll program with two pieces of information: the groups of employees to be included and the dates of the payroll period.
- ➤ The following Payroll Areas are defined for the STATE
 - 11 Arkansas Biweekly: Sunday-Saturday

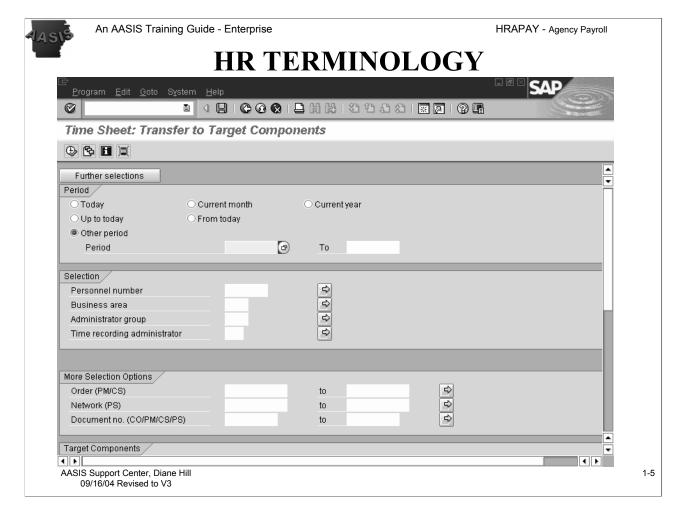
• 12 Ark. Semi-Monthly



Infotypes

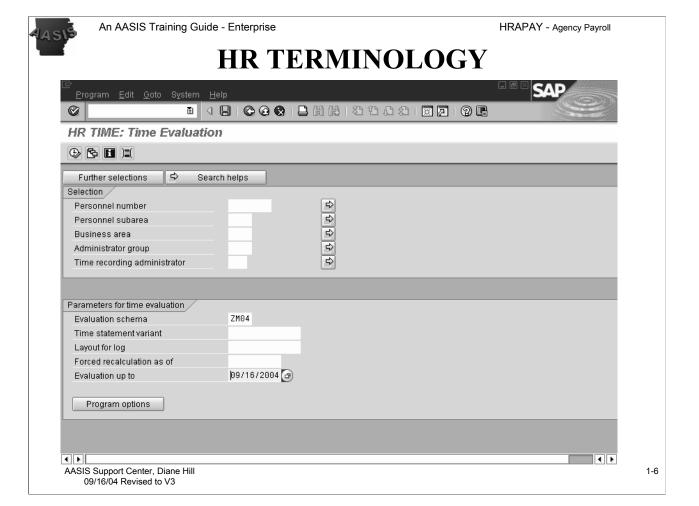
Infotypes hold relevant information regarding a particular aspect of an employee.

Personnel Master Data is maintained through various entry screens called information types or infotypes. Infotypes are used to group related data fields together to help provide structure to information, facilitate data entry, and enable you to store data for specific periods.



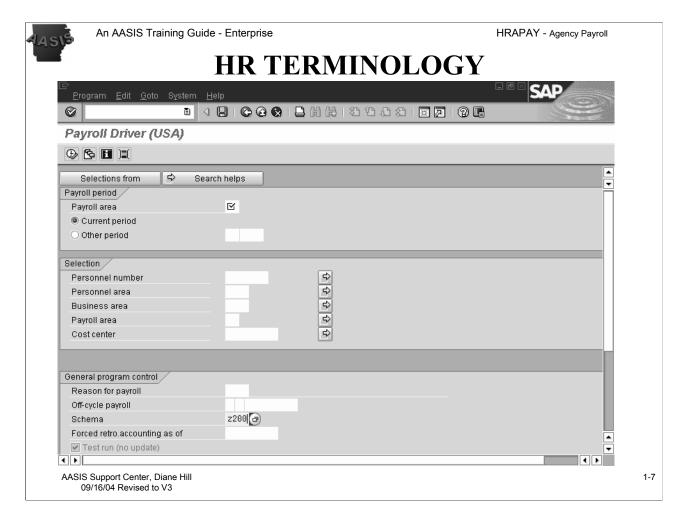
Time Transfer to HR

The Time Transfer process will transfer all approved time entries from the CATS database into the Human Resources database of the R/3 system. When you transfer records from the Time Sheet to Human Resources, you are providing it with attendance and absence data, and data for employee's remuneration.



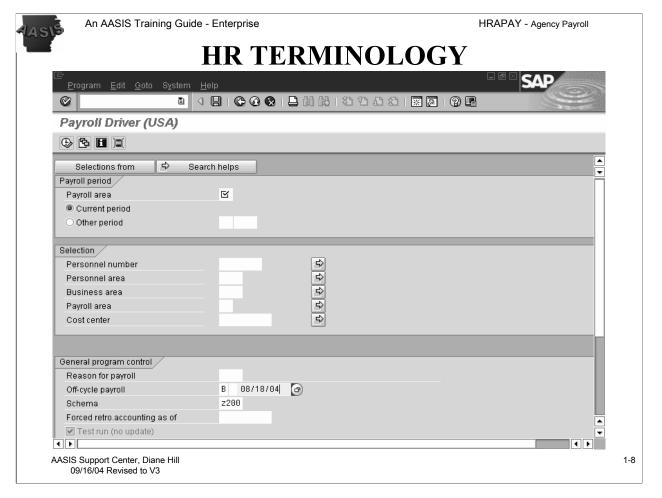
Time Evaluation

Time Evaluation is a valuation of an employee's working times and/or absence times that were entered into CATS, approved, and transferred to HR. Time evaluation calculates actual time worked and absences recorded and applies rules set forth by policy.



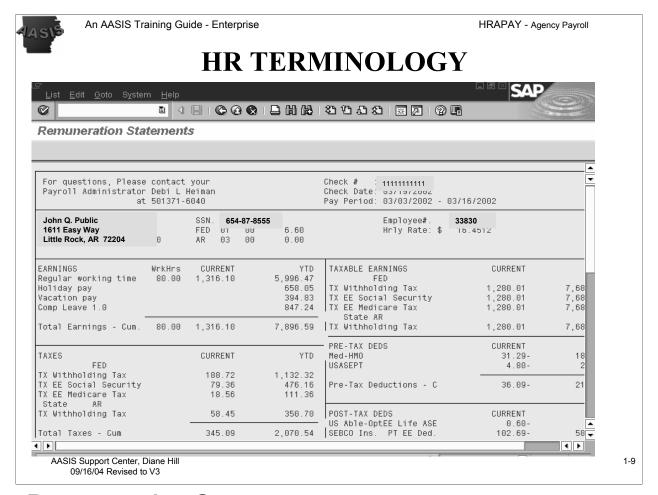
Payroll Simulation

Payroll Simulation allows Agency Payroll personnel to simulate a payroll run. The system displays a simulated view of the pay results so that you may determine if there are any changes that must be made to Master Data.



Off-Cycle Payroll Simulation

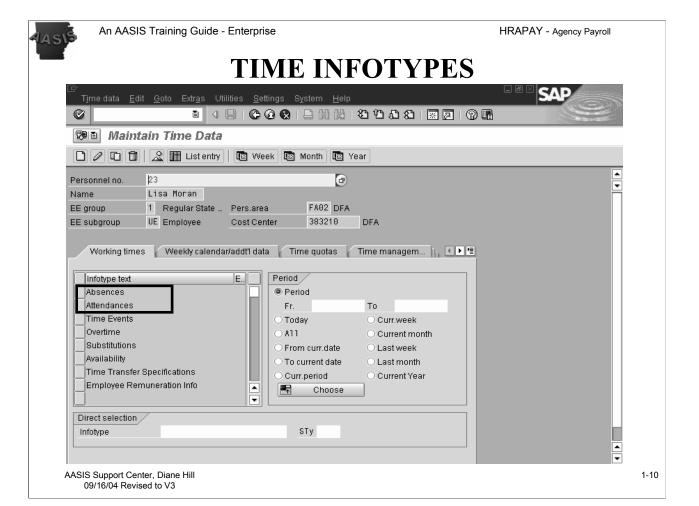
An Off-cycle payroll is carried out in addition to the regular payroll run for individual employee(s) based on request. This function enables you to carry out specific Off-cycle payroll activities for individual employees to view simulated results.



Remuneration Statement

An employee's remuneration statement (earnings statement) lists the earnings and deductions for the current period and year to date. A remuneration statement may be viewed or printed by the Time Specialist, Payroll Systems Management, or the employee in ESS, following a live payroll run, using a local printer two days prior to payday in most cases and before the bank transfer.

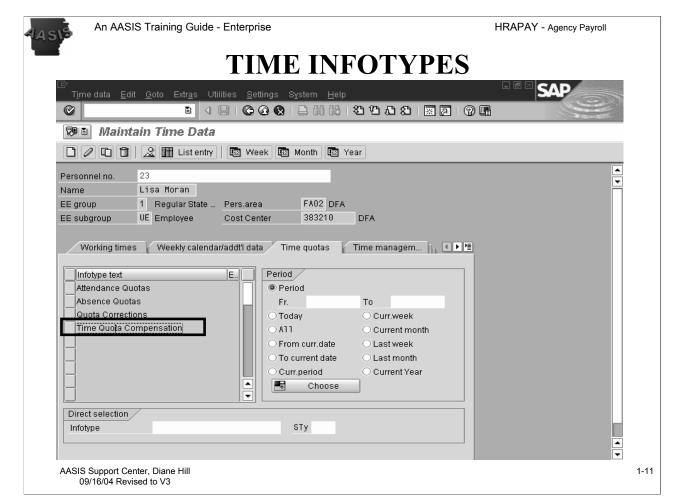
Note: Remaining leave balances should be compared against the data in PT50 for actual current entitlements and corrections rather than from the remuneration statement.



Absence (2001) -This infotype is updated on **CATS** (Cross-Application Time Sheet) and requires no direct infotype maintenance. This may or may not reduce an Absence Quota. Each Absence is assigned an attribute in payroll as being paid or unpaid.

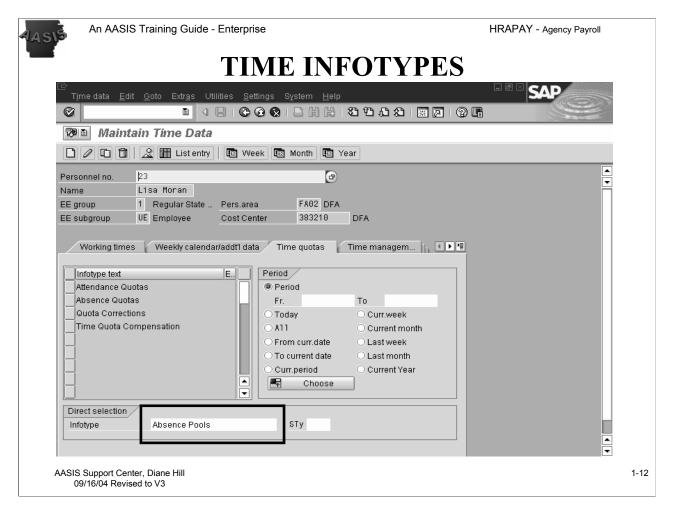
Attendance (2002) -This infotype is updated on **CATS** (Cross-Application Time Sheet) and requires no direct infotype maintenance.

You may use these infotypes to view timesheet entries instead of CATS. However, no entries should be made in these infotypes.

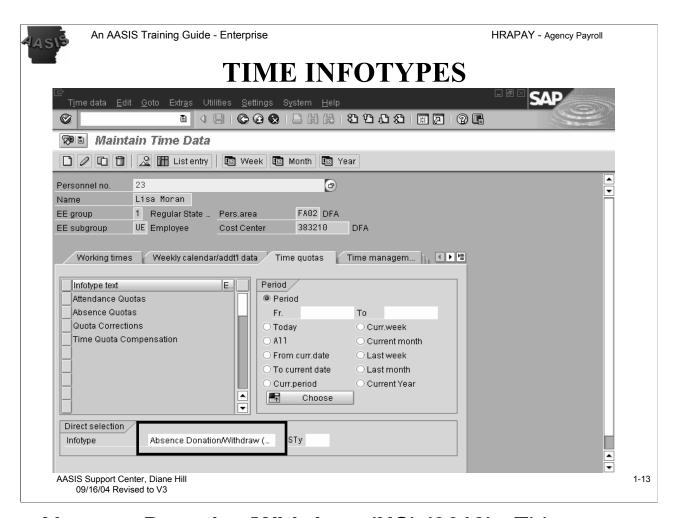


Time Quota Compensation (0416) - Leave payout is accomplished using this infotype. This reduces the leave hours and flows through to payroll for payment.

It describes the Leave type and the hours (all/part) to be paid out.



Absence Pools (0696) –This infotype is used to establish an employee's relationship with a Catastrophic Leave Pool.



Absence Donation/Withdraw (US) (0613) –This infotype is used to donate hours to and/or award (withdraw) hours from a specified Catastrophic Leave Pool.

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Infotype text

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Payroll Results

Recurring Payments/Deductions Additional Payments

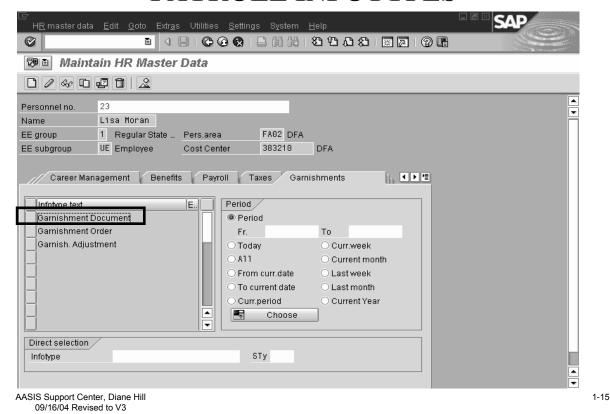
Basic Pay

Recurring Payments/Deductions (0014) - Recurring payments/deductions are wage elements which are paid or deducted in every payroll period or several successive payroll periods.

Additional Payments (0015) - Additional payments are wage elements which are not paid or deducted in every payroll period in contrast to recurring payments and deductions which are paid or deducted every pay period. (example: Career Service payment or Suggestion Award payment)



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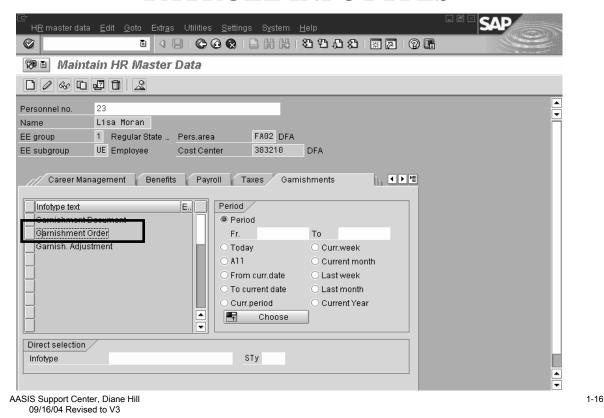
Garnishment Document (0194) - This is the main garnishment infotype and is used to store garnishment document information, including:

General information such as status, important dates, priority, and category

- Vendor information
- Originator information
- Garnishment processing information, such as applicable service charges, and remittance information

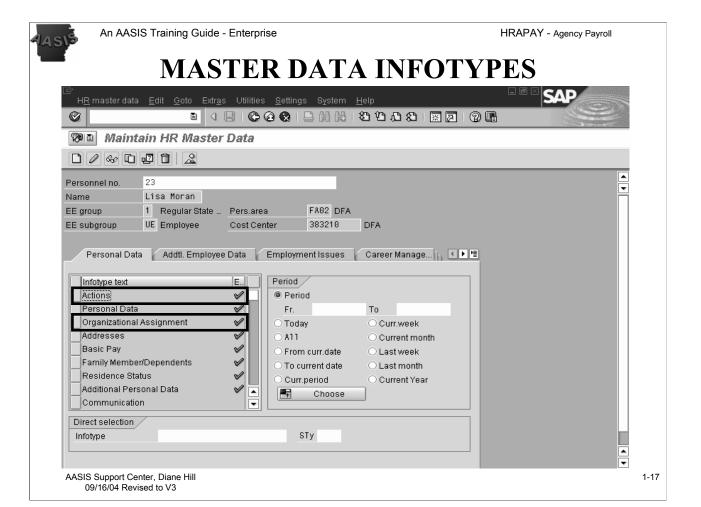
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Garnishment Order (0195) - The Garnishment Order allows you to store the processing data for a garnishment request. This data includes:

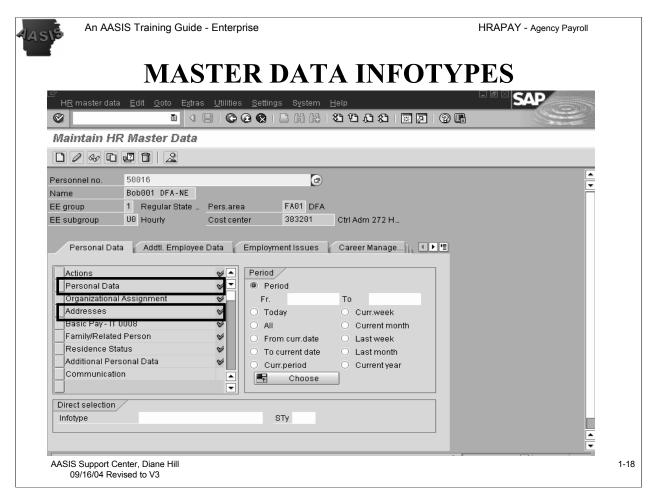
- The initial balance of the order
- The periodic deduction information
- Any information on non-exempt and exempt limits



Actions (0000) -** Personnel actions describe what business procedure was performed on an employee such as hire, transfer, termination, etc. Within this process a series of infotypes follow creating the employee's online personnel file.

Organizational Assignment (0001)** - This infotype describes the organizational and personnel structure of the employee. It stores items such as the payroll area, personnel area, time and payroll administrators. Personnel area and subarea fields are used in time management to group employees for processing rules.

**Without these infotypes payment cannot occur for an employee.



Personal Data (0002) -** This Infotype contains the employee's personal information, such as name, social security number, date of birth, etc.

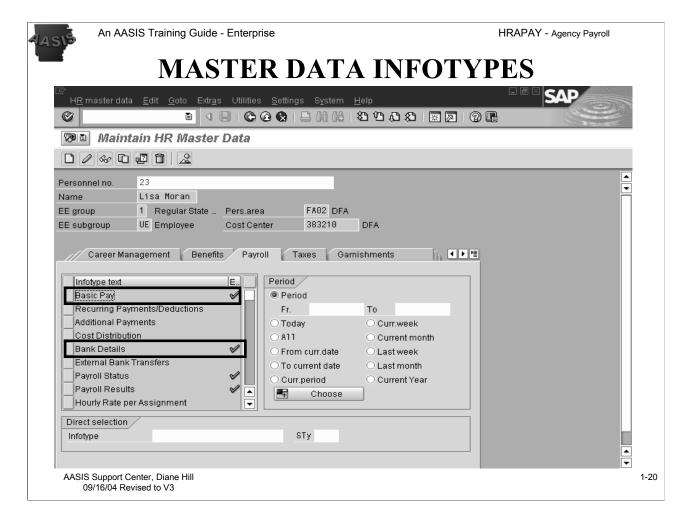
Address (0006)** - This infotype stores the employee's business address and permanent home address. Each employee must have a Permanent Address. This would be changed only if the residence address has changed. It is vital to maintain up-to-date home addresses on employees for payroll and W2 processing.

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Planned Working Time (0007)** - Each employee must have a planned working time. A planned working time infotype contains information on an employee's scheduled working time for a specific period. (The Work Schedule Rule, Time Management Status and Working Week are located in this infotype.)

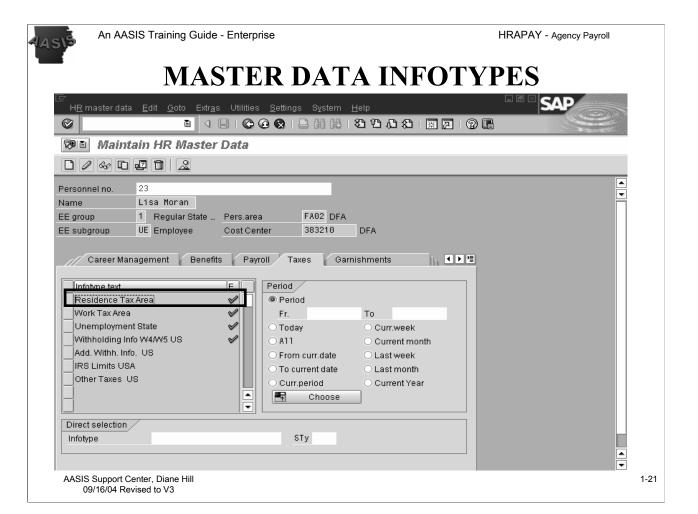
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Basic Pay (0008) -** Each employee must have Basic Pay. Any pay changes are also stored in the Basic Pay (0008) infotype which therefore provides an overview of the employee's payroll history.

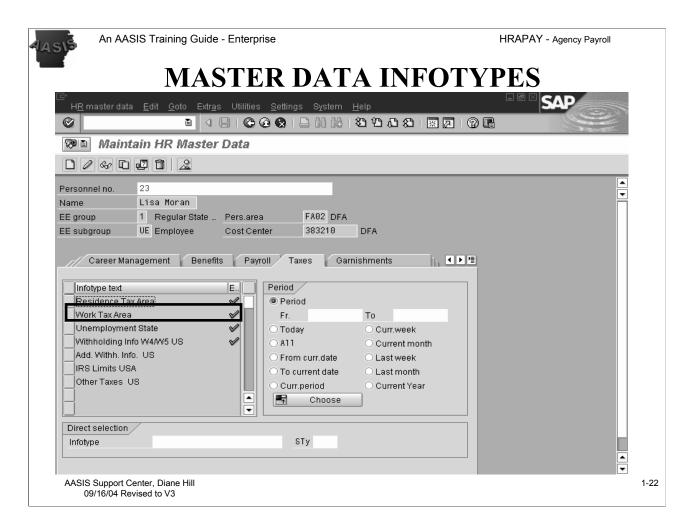
Bank Details (0009)** - Designation of how an employee elects payment (direct deposit or paper warrant). This infotype can be maintained by Agency Payroll Systems Management role. Refer to Chapter 4.

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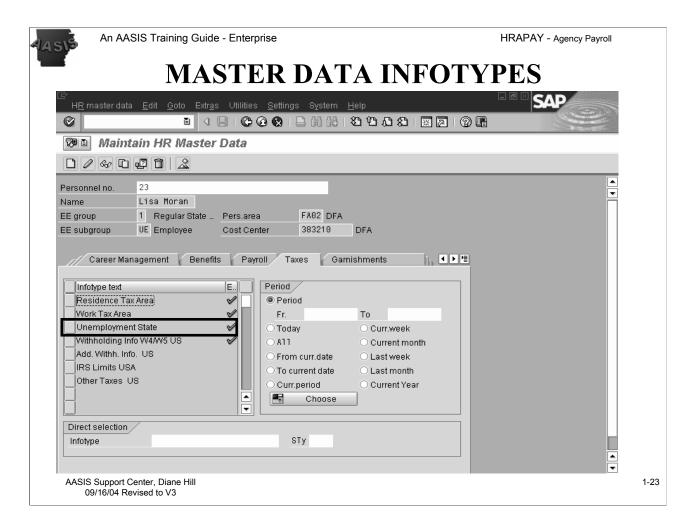
Residence Tax Area (0207)** - The residence tax area is the group of authorities to which an individual employee pays tax. This infotype can be maintained by Agency Payroll Systems Management role.

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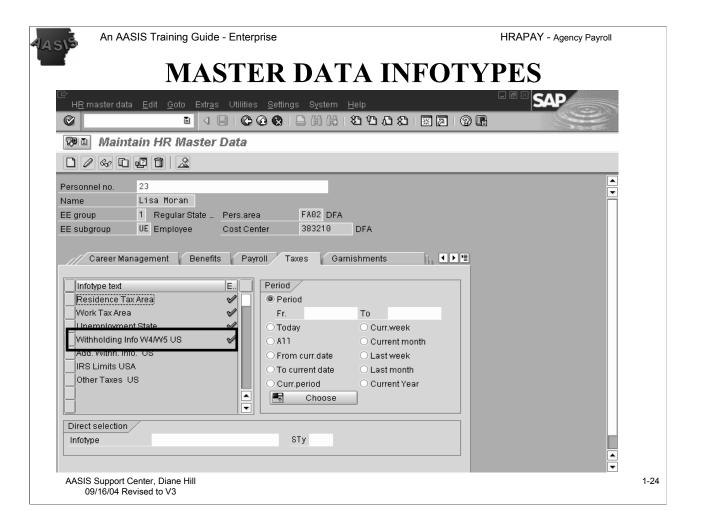
Work Tax Area (0208)** - An employee who works in more than one locality during a tax year, may be subject to taxes in those localities. The Work Tax Area infotype records the amount of time an employee spends in each locality other than their Residence Tax Area (Infotype 0207) throughout the tax period. This infotype can be maintained by Agency Payroll Systems Management role.

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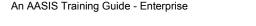
Unemployment State (0209) -** You must establish this record which may be used for statistical information to unemployment authorities requiring multiple work site reports.

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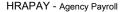
Withholding Info W4/W5 (0210)** - This infotype is used to store the details from an employee's Federal Employee Withholding Allowance Certificate (Form W-4) and from the employee's equivalent state and local Withholding Allowance Certificate, if applicable. The EIC (Earned Income Credit) status field is available on this infotype to maintain when an employee turns in a Form W-5 (Earned Income Credit Advance Payment Certificate). This infotype can be maintained by Agency Payroll Systems Management role. Refer to Chapter 4.

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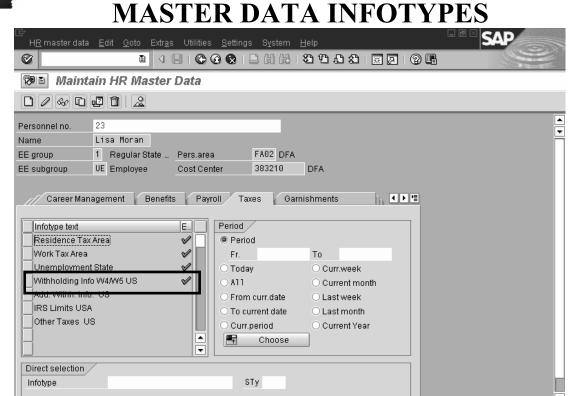


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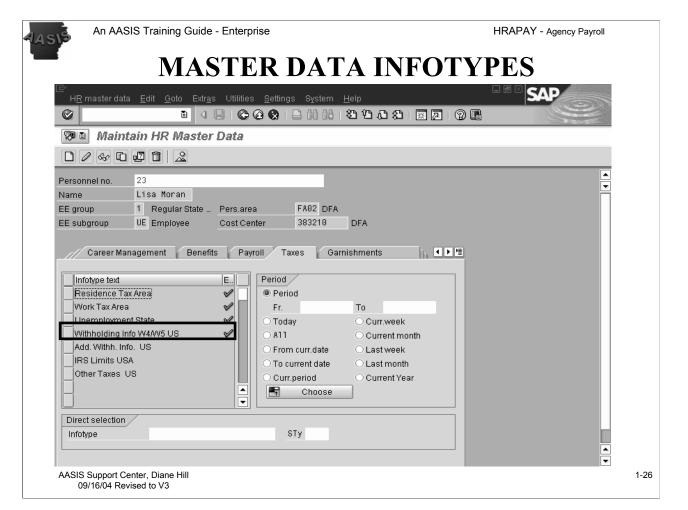


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- Withholding Info W4/W5 (0210)continued** There are only two groups of employees eligible for exemption from Arkansas income tax (Arkansas Acts 48 and 177 of 1977). The first group is as follows:
- Employees living within the city limits of Texarkana, AR

 These employees do not have to work in Texarkana, AR or Texarkana, TX. In fact, there are no limitations as to where they work to be exempt from Arkansas income tax. However, employees working within the city limits of Texarkana, AR; but do not live within the city limits of Texarkana, AR are not exempt from Arkansas income Tax. For example, the employee lives in Hope, AR and works within the city limits of Texarkana, AR is not exempt from Arkansas income tax.



- Withholding Info W4/W5 (0210)continued The second group is as follows:
- Employees living within the city limits of Texarkana, TX

 These employees MUST work within the city limits of Texarkana, AR to be exempt from Arkansas income tax. They are not exempt from Arkansas income tax if they work anywhere else in Arkansas. For example, an employee that lives in Texarkana, TX but works in Magnolia, AR is not exempt from Arkansas income tax.
- If the employee is exempt, only use "R" in the Tax exempt indicator field. Contact OPM-State Payroll Systems, if you have any questions concerning this infotype.



Compensatory Leave Quota



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Compensatory time will bank in Quota 15 for straight compensatory time and in Quota 16 for overtime compensatory time at the end of the employee's defined FLSA work week. When time evaluation runs at the end of the FLSA work week, all times worked over the employee's normal FLSA work week will automatically bank the appropriate hours to the employee's leave quota.

An automatic payout will occur from Quota 15 when an employee's compensatory time exceeds 200 hours (standard and 8/80 FLSA rule) or 400 hours (7k law enforcement and firefighters.



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An automatic payout will occur from Quota 16 when an employee's compensatory time exceeds 240 hours (standard and 8/80 FLSA rule) or 480 hours (7K law enforcement and firefighters)

Automatic payouts from Quota 15 and Quota 16 will pay from commitment item 00.